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MEMORANDUM FOR: AD/SI
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SUBJECT : Collection Requirements for East Germany

1. The Interagency Priorities Committee met this afternoon to consider the draft of the IPC list for East Germany. In the course of discussion it was pointed out that the Photo Intelligence Division of ORR has access to a considerable volume of recent aerial photography from various sources covering East Germany. The majority of this information is classified Secret. A possibility exists that this material is not adequately known at the working level in your offices and that, therefore, the Clandestine Services may have been asked to collect information which could be answered more readily by an appropriate photo intelligence study.

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2. I have asked [redacted] of the Photo Intelligence Division to contact you to arrange a briefing for appropriate persons from your office concerning the availability of photography of East Germany. Once this is done, I would appreciate it if your requirements personnel would review the IPC list on East Germany to make sure that the requirements cannot be met from available photography.

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